ONE CENT.

## WASHINGTON, D. C., WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 3, 1912.

Taft's Flag Nailed to Mast; NEXT!

## LIFELESS BODY OF GIRL IS FOUND

Carbon Monoxide Gas Kills Margaret Shawhan.

HOME FOR CHRISTMAS

Father and Physicians Work in Vain to Bevive Her.

Servants Tell Corener, Who Investigates Tragic Death, that Young Woman Was in Happy Mood Before Going to Bathree Patent Appliance Designed Rent Water Believed Paulty.

Accidentally inhaling deadly carbon monoxide gas while bathing before din-ner, Mins Margaret Shawhan, seven-teen years old, a prominent figure in the younger set of the society of Washing-ton and Baltimore, was killed last night in the apartments of her parents at 1310 Massachusetts avenue northwest. Lying in a tob half-filled with water, her head eposing on her wealth of hair, the lifeless body was discovered in the bath-room after the door had been forced by her father, Joseph N. Shawhan, private secretary to the Deputy Commissioner of Internal Revenue, Col. Robert Wil-

SEES BODY IN TUB.

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Except for the dim light of two gas hurrers benesh a fatent appliance designed to heat water as it runs from the solicot of a both out, the room was dark, and when the father entered he first saw only the ciothies of his daughter hange on a rack by the wall. He called, "Margaret." There was no raply. Then his eyes discerned the girl's body in the tall.

estricken by a suspicion that his was dead, Shawhan lifted the out the water and bore it to a where he invertebly began to hands and wrists in an effort its her is connectednesses. Henciling with Seltzer Bottle.

Watted for Daughter,
Mra Shawhan stended a reception in
a afternoon and instead of returning
the apartments went to the restairum
the Cumberland, where the family
ne. The mother was joined there by
re husband, and they waited for their
aughter before beginning dinner. They
sited nearly an hour, chatting at the
blie und expecting the girl in appear
ay moment, before Mrs. Shawhan grew
armed.

"Leap Year Weddings Free.

Kapuss City, Mo., Jan. L.—Can-lmir J. J. M. Welch, a justice of the peace of this city, to-day an-nounced that during 1817 he will perform the marriage cocomeny free of charge for any woman who will bring her husband-elect before him and setterly him that

### CALLS HERZ CRUEL

Inly Glaser Tells Court Why Sh Wants a Divorce.

### SAIL AS CLEW.

Tracking Schooner that Rammed War Vessel.

War Vessel.

The first clew to the identity of the schooner which is believed to have summed the torpedo boat destroyer Warrington, and which use lies fifteen miles mirtheast of Kaltenas, was the discovery by the revenue cutter Onendany systematics.

She picked up one of the schoener's sails, which bears the mark of George Taulene, a Philadelphia millimaker.

The Revenue Cutter Service is in communication with Taulen to learn the schooner's identity.

## MONEY DOESN'T SUIT.

Citizen of "Heaven" Would Change Pace of Bills.

Frank Erra Stevens, who says he is a citizen of the United Station of Heaven." has writing a post card to the States of From 50 to 11,000 he decerated with a lond-scape instead of portraits of sem.

He advocates that the noise measure six by eight inches, so are to leave room, for the signatures of all persons who for the signatures of all persons who for the signatures of all persons who shalled therm. He arves his address as "No. 61 the United States of Heaven." He has decorated the card with a staff of music.

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## Makes Season's Debut in Capital

Show, the first of the season, changing to sluth the moment it touched earth, fell all last night. It began in a sort of drizzle about 7 oclock, and by the time theater and dinner parties began throughng the streets there was a heavy fall of fakes just large enough to be called "beautiful" by the poetically sentimental.

Over at the Weather Bureau Uncle Sam's meteorological experts said "I told you so," and juredicted more sono, "publiably," to-day, with to-morrow colder. That will mean lee on the streets, difficult poetstrainism, sores of falls, and a

### "GUN MAN" NABBED.

Says He Could Have Easily Shot MORSE OFFERED PRISON

CANAL SHIPS, AHOY!

Chile Enters Race for Big Ditch
Traffic.

Director General Barrett, of the PanAmerican Union, yesterday received a
leignam from Capt Granville Ferences,
a representative of the union in Chile,
sinting that the South American Bleamship Company, of Valparaine, Chile, had
just decided to build atx large, find parsenger vessels to run between Valparaine
and New York through the Famme
Canal. A twenty-four-hour search for th



# **RUNS DOWN TWO;** THEY MAY DIE

prove fatal.

Smith has fracturee of both legs. His
ser was mearly turn off, and he also has
nternal injuries. Miss Fritagerald is the
ciclim of a fracture of the left leg, interual injuries, and probably a fracture of
he skull.

Neither Are Conscious

Mrs. Shawban that her daughter due to be a superison of the room of the room of the room of the resonant of treasing.

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and a woman were lying in the street to whom he submitted it for appraisal near the wheels of the machine. Etc. that it was week 15,500. The weight of dentity they had attempted to cross the the piece is 250 ounces, not the latest street in front of the machine and had quotation for ambergris is 350 an ounce.

Conchinant and Waitress Are

Crushed by Car.

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Show BLINDS DRIVER

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A crowd of podestriant gathered that the inducted man and womate were released to the inducted from the machine, and the standard through H street. They had waited through H street. They had waited through Latayarte Park, neemed to see me was any the smarthine, and began to retract their steps.

Notity Senator Oliver, to whom the machine.

Sentor Oliver, to whom the machine belongs, is out of the city, a servant at his Massachusetts avenue home raid has hight. He was notified of the ac-cident by telegraph and wired to Wast-ington to assertain the particulars. Later in the night he gave orders that he he kept in touch with the patients' condition.

## Destroyer Twice Encircles Giant Ocean Steamship

### PICKS UP FORTUNE.

WARDEN BRIBE OF \$1,000

Money Was Refused and Incident Reported to Attorney General Wickersham.

in the Hotel Autor.

Overcome by weakness while seated in the hotel smoking room, Mr. Diokens was secorted to his rooms by William G. Glass, nanager of his hecture tour. Dr. Murt, the house physician, quickly reached his side, but the succumbed before the physician completed his diagness of the attack. Afterward the doctor mad death resulted from sarat distant, any perinduced by acute indigestion. On New Year's night Diokens returned from a theater quite ill, but declined to summon a physician, so friends advised him. This morning, however, he was very ill and Dr. Bart treated him for indigestion. He was so much better late in the afternoon that he came downstairs aid continued the plans for his tour of the country, which was interrupted by the fixed attack.

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Dickens spent very little of his time in England, although he visited his sister there occasionally. In 1865 he regaired to Australia and "spitered the hush," as he always expressed it. He lived the life of a frontiersonan in that leand cohony mutil 1174, when he was married, and at the requisit of his bride, gave up the harsher life for the more pleasant life of Melbourns.

Although its tragic ending of the life of Mrs. Dickens took place thirty-one years sign, the lactures recalled it to an interviewer, two months ago, and assemed to broad overs it. Asked what had occasioned a visit to America at this time, he said:

"I haven't been felling very well for the last few months. A sunairois in London; isset summer precipitated matters, and I thought a trip here would do me good."

# **CLEAR THE TRACK** FOR ROOSEVELT

Expected to Make Announcement in a Few Days.

Bryan Wants Popular Vote; La Follette May Withdraw; Roosevelt Noncommittal

President Will Not Accept Former Democratic Candi-Gov. Osborn's Suggestion.

La Follette Considers Step- Proposes to Urge Presiping Down for Mr. Roosevelt.

date Will Sit in Com-

mittee.

dential Primary Resolution.

The interpretation given in certain quarters to this determination is that Mr Bryan is himself a candidates and be

## OPPOSED TO HARMON.

Ohio Progressives Do Not Mention Him by Name.

### The Latest Political Sensation.